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### IN THE LEGISLATURE

 (By H. G. Hammell, M.L.A.)  
 Again through the courtesy of your Editor these weekly summaries are appearing in this paper, giving some of the highlights of the Legislative Assembly while it is in Session.

The Honourable J. J. Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor, read the Speech from the Throne which documents forecasts some of the legislation coming before the present Session.

Members taking part in the debate thus far have paid their respects to two former members, the late Norman E. Cook of Olds and Dr. J. L. McPherson of Ryley.

A number of the members in the House thus far have advocated drivers' tests and the more strict enforcing of Highway Traffic regulations. A number have called for close checking of people driving under the influence of liquor.

In reporting on the activities of the Department of Agriculture for the last year, the following information covers some of the main

points of the reply by the Hon. D. A. Ure, Minister of Agriculture: The farmers' income in 1950 was one hundred million dollars less in Alberta than in the previous year, even though in the value of agricultural production was higher. Poor harvesting conditions were partly responsible for this.

Through the District Agriculturists hundreds of demonstration fields were planted throughout the Province designed to show the value of good seed, fertilizers, proper pasture mixtures, true varieties of grain and the value of legumes in a mixed farming program.

Surveys in soil conservation last year showed that where milk cattle were kept the soil was in the best condition.

Farmers last year planted a million and a quarter trees, and this will probably be increased by half a million more in 1951. Tree-growing facilities at Oliver and Brooks are being expanded and by 1955 it is expected that at least four million trees yearly will be available for planting in Alberta.

Some large English Yorkshire hogs were purchased by the Department last year and it is planned

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#### GOOD WINTER FOR PHEASANTS IN THE BROOKS AREA

While there is no doubt the current severe weather has caused some deaths among pheasants in Alberta, there has been no such "disaster" as ravaged the flocks in some previous years, according to George Watt, former president of the Alberta Fish and Game Association, who is considered an authority on pheasants and their habits.

Mr. Watt made the statement to The Calgary Albertan after consulting a number of sources, official and otherwise and after a telephone conversation with people in Brooks. He has been told, he said, that the pheasants apparently were doing quite well, all conditions considered.

They had been seen in considerable numbers, on Monday, March 5, feeding in the open and showing no signs of "panic" that was the indirect cause of so many deaths among them in earlier years. He explained that pheasants—the term "foolish birds"—tended to panic during storms, fled from shelter and, when out of breath, died of strangulation when moisture inside their beaks froze solidly.—The Albertan.

Moulting is a severe strain on the bird because the great amount of blood needed by the skin for the growth of new feathers.

to maintain a herd of this breed both at Olds and Vermilion.

The Department's calfhood vaccination program increased from 9,000 head vaccinated in 1948 to cover 46,000 last year. Twenty municipalities through their Service Boards and District Agriculturists organized campaigns to eliminate bang's disease. Thirty-two municipalities and twenty-six Local Improvement Districts are now petitioning for T.B. Restricted Areas. While eighteen districts are ready for testing. The aim is to have the entire Province a T.B. and Bang's Free Area.

Water should start to fill the St. Mary's Reservoir this spring and 1951 will see an expansion of irrigation work in Southern Alberta. It is the Government's intention also to continue its program of raising the level of a number of lakes in Alberta during the coming year.

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#### CARD OF THANKS

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#### PRE-SCHOOL NURSERY CLASS

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#### NOTICE

The Neapolis Consumers' Co-Operative Shareholders Annual Meeting will be held in the Mountain View Hall on Wednesday, March 14th, at 2:00 p.m. 9-2c

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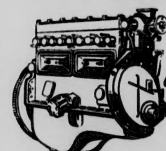
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Everybody has a certain amount of civic pride—that sort of pride which helps make a village a town, and a town a metropolitan city.

The growth of any community is dependent upon the support given its citizens. If you fail in your co-operation, your town either stands still or goes back.

If you uphold your town by sustaining it wholeheartedly, you help yourself and the community. Buy at home! Be neighborly with your dollar. Divide your dollars among your merchants and others who have the interests of Didsbury at heart. Help them and they will help you to greater values — for increased volume means decreased costs.

DIDSBURY needs your support and you need the support of the town. Let's get together and share our dollars for a mutual prosperity.



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**The Didsbury Pioneer**  
PHONE 12 — DIDSBURY



"COME ON IN, SON, AND  
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## INFLUENZA

Epidemic influenza is now prevalent in this district. Fortunately the variety is mild and seldom causes more than three or four days illness. But even a mild form may become dangerous unless simple precautions are taken if the illness is contracted.

**PREVENTION:**  
Four general rules for reducing the chances of developing influenza are, first and foremost, to secure plenty of sleep. Adults should aim at seven or eight hours, according to the extent to which the individual's previous habit has exceeded six or seven hours. Children should get more than eight hours.

Next, extra food and drink, with plenty of green vegetables (fresh or canned), milk products, and whole-wheat (rather than white) bread, helps to strengthen the body and increase resistance.

Thirdly, overheating indoors (which encourages germs to multiply much quicker) and chilling of the body, outdoors or indoors, which lowers resistance) should be avoided.

Fourthly, crowded, warm, places of entertainment should be avoided.

**IMMUNIZATION:**

Sometimes people enquire about the possibility of being immunized against influenza, in some sort of way as they can be immunized against diphtheria or the typhoids. "Flu" is caused by a "virus" however, and viruses, which are so much smaller than "bacteria" like those of diphtheria and typhoid that they cannot be seen through an ordinary microscope, are much harder to make vaccines or other immunization agents from. So far, research workers have discovered three different types of influenza virus, A, B and C. An immunization agent of possible value has so far only been produced for influenza A. Even that is so far available only in small quantities for experimental purposes, and even with this vaccine it is unlikely that more than a month's partial protection can yet be claimed. None is yet available for distribution through the Provincial Laboratory service. People who obtain supplies from other sources should take steps to check the authenticity as influenza "A" anti-virus, and realize its limitations. Other so-called "influenza" vaccines may be merely anti-"bacterial" in-

stead of anti-"viral", and even if they may affect in preventing complications caused by the bacterial from which they were prepared, they should have no effect against influenza virus itself.

Sometimes people wonder if the schools should not be closed during epidemics. It is a general public health measure, except in the case of an outbreak actually within the school itself of one infectious disease namely small pox, school closure for the purpose of trying to curtail an epidemic is usually both ineffective and unjustifiable. If schools are closed one thing is certain, all the children lose days of invaluable education. It is quite uncertain that there will be reduction of infection to compensate for this serious loss. Spacing of desks within school class rooms is usually sufficient to prevent overcrowding, and teachers can see that overheating (one of the dangers) does not occur. If little children, excluded from school, hang about home, the housewives are more than usually stressed at a time when they ought to be getting more rest than usual and are therefore more likely to develop influenza themselves. Then the fat is on the fire for the family, for illness of the housewife is the worst and most dangerous development which can happen. The housewife is so much the king pin of the home, so indispensable to the welfare of the family, that her illness is disrupted. So much so, that many of the mothers who develop influenza will try to carry on with their work, endangering their own lives, and spreading more infection around.

Furthermore, schools closed during winter time will encourage children to meet elsewhere indoors, in their friends' homes, which are often hotter than the school class rooms, or in places of public entertainment, which are again likely to be hotter and where they sit much more closely than in a class room. It obviously would be inconsistent to close a school in winter time unless places of public entertainment were also closed; or unless the managements were capable of excluding all children and young people of school age, probably impossible.

Occasionally it is necessary to close a school owing to illness reducing the teaching staff to an extent which makes it impossible to conduct the school safely and efficiently, or without causing serious

overstrain for the remainder of the teachers. But closure is then on educational not on public health grounds.

**IF INFLUENZA IS CAUGHT—Action For The Patient.**  
If you or any of your children do become poorly, during an influenza epidemic, and feel "feverish" or "shivery", generally uncomfortable, usually with slight sore throat, and sometimes also with aches in the back, shoulders, limbs, or belly, with or without nausea, it is essential to go to bed and stay there until your doctor says you are fit to get up again. Call your doctor early, to your house; don't go to his office if you think you have influenza, for you will endanger others in the waiting room and probably make your own condition worse. The chief danger of influenza lies in the chance that complication, such as pneumonia or inflammation of the ear may develop. The chance of this is greatly reduced by staying in bed, where incidentally the patient is also less likely to infect other members of the family. Stay in bed therefore, even if on the second day of illness you feel better, until your doctor gives you the "clear."

John Lishman,  
M.O.H., Rosebud Health Unit

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Canada's export trade is not in a sound position. Sure, we have made enormous strides in building up exports to the United States and we have scored some notable progress in getting more of our goods into Latin America, too. But in the meantime we have lost ground in Britain and the rest of Europe and also in Asia and Australia. There has been a very drastic falling off in Canadian exports to those areas, a drop of one third last year alone. The remedy is not to cut down our exports to the United States. We need every bit of that business. But we also need to sell more goods to Europe and Asia not only because greater volume of export means greater general prosperity, but also because normally we have a big surplus of goods of a type which the United States does not need in great volume but which other countries can use.

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You would never know from his expression that Baseball Commissioner A. B. (HAPPY) CHANDLER (left), is waging a desperate battle to retain his job. At right is New York's Police Commissioner THOMAS A. MURPHY who has been mentioned for the post. The two commissioners met at the New York baseball writers dinner at the Waldorf Astoria in New York.

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**ANGLO-U.S. EXERCISE  
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The British Mediterranean and Home Fleets and the U.S. 6th Fleet held joint exercises in the Mediter-

anean on February 12 and 13. Vessels ranging from carriers and heavy cruisers down to frigates and other small craft, as well as planes, land based flying boats and carrier based aircraft took part.



At one time policeman **MOHAMMED IBRAHIM SAYED AHMED** sported a fine moustache while directing traffic in the swanky royal yacht district of Alexandria, Egypt. Ahmed's commandant ruled that the moustache caused too much comment among motorists that it distracted the traffic, so he ordered Ahmed to take it off. Now, the de-moustached policeman complains that the order violated his constitutional rights, pointing out that police rules do not prohibit "the upper lip adornment". His complaint is being considered. Since the trouble started, Ahmed has lost his job as traffic controller. He was transferred first to a slum district, and one recent report has it that he is now in some small village. Ahmed claims these transfers were not necessary and wants his former job back. Photo shows Mohammed Ibrahim Sayed Ahmed on traffic control duty, before he was ordered to remove his moustache.

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Didsbury Beavers third line, Allen Freeman, Don Irwin and Edward Oke win special mention for their strong back-checking in the final high school hockey series. In the final game they were never scored on and while they did not account for any goals, they wore down Olds power line and retained possession of the puck for the major part of their time on the ice.

Bill Francis saw part-time duty on this line in the final series but because of an ankle injury he was used sparingly.



ALLEN FREEMAN



DON IRWIN



EDWARD OKE



BILL FRANCIS

**GRAIN IS HUMAN FOOD**

The population of English speaking North America enjoys an abundance of food, a privilege which is denied the people of most world nations. The North Americans with higher incomes, are substantial meat eaters. Europeans and Asians eat less meat and more cereals, this being the most economical way to utilize food.

To produce 100 pounds of human food, a steer requires 2,000 pounds of grain, a hog 800 pounds of grain, a dairy cow 500 pounds of grain, and a hen 1,500 pounds of grain. The Iowa Farm Economist says that one acre of wheat feeds 10 people 32 days; one acre of feed crops fed to milk cows feeds 10 people 15 days.

One acre of corn feeds 10 people 51 days; one acre of feed crops fed to hogs feeds 10 people 15 days. One acre of soybeans feeds 10 people 28 days; one acre of feed crops fed to steers feeds 10 people 5 days.

It was once believed that Christians might not enter a church to pray without first washing their hands.

**LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION**

During the past half century Canada's production of livestock and livestock products has not kept pace with the growth of human population. This statement was made in the last weekly letter of the Dominion experimental station at Lethbridge. It continues—as a result of this trend, the demand for livestock products is now considerably in excess of the supply in the face of the fact that prices for most of these products are now at an all-time high.

**RESTORING BROME YIELDS**

Spring tillage sufficiently rigorous to thoroughly break up the root system of brome is the best method of restoring root bound fields. At the Dominion experimental station at Scott, Saskatchewan, it was found that disking of brome fields to a depth of 2 inches with a one-way increased the average seed and hay yield by 30 per cent. Fertilizing without tillage did not increase the hay yield.

**MECHANICAL ELEPHANTS  
FOR CANADA**

Launching of the world's first mechanical walking elephant by inventor Frank Stuart, of England, last summer has resulted in Canadian orders for 14 of the one ton brutes. Six of them are on order for the Festival of Britain while orders from other parts of the world including \$85,000 worth from the United States.

**TOURISTS FREE FROM TAX**

Effective February 1, 1951, sales of goods made in France to tourists and paid for in Canadian dollars or in Canadian dollar travellers' cheques, will be exempt from the sales tax. Previously this privilege was limited to sales effected in United States dollars or travellers' cheques.

**AD-MEN DIE YOUNG**

Last year the obituary columns of Advertising Age carried the names of 371 men and women closely connected with the advertising business.

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(By Hugh McPhail)

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## Eighth Article About Alberta Civil Defence

A knowledge of first aid procedure will be invaluable in case of war. Air Vice Marshal Hovsamm, Provincial Civil Defence Co-ordinator, said in the last of a series of public statements on civil defence. He suggested that service clubs, church auxiliaries, study groups and community leagues take accredited St. John's Ambulance Association courses as soon as possible as most civil defence workers would be required to have some first aid training.

He told how citizens could help Alberta's civil defence organization by learning how to protect themselves and their families, and by serving in a civil defence job.

Your civil defence committee will soon be calling for volunteers for the various positions. Think it over now and be ready to decide on the job you will be able to do your best work in. Civil defence workers are ordinary people whose daily life has equipped them to fit into a special place in the civil defence organization."

Air Marshal Hovsamm said auxiliary fire-fighters, policemen and first aid workers are needed urgently. Rescue crews would also be required and special crews would be trained to use Geiger counters to detect and measure radioactivity.

Evacuation centres would have to be provided for bombed homes. A knowledge of feeding large numbers of people and caring for children would be useful for those serving in evacuation centres.

Many civil defence jobs can be filled by women, the co-ordinator said.

## BIOGRAPHY OF HENRY WISE WOOD

(Toronto Saturday Night)

Co-operation, as a method by which an occupational class may advance its own interests, has not been a conspicuous success in Canada. It did, however, achieve magnificent results for the wheat farmers of the prairies when they were helpless against the methods of the grain elevator companies which alone could buy their products; and in that period the great figure of Western co-operation, Henry Wise Wood, attained a fame which has always puzzled non-prairie Canadians. It will not puzzle them much less after perusal of "Henry Wise Wood of Alberta" by William Kirby Rolph (UT Press, \$3.75), for the truth is that Wood dominated Alberta more or less completely for about 20 years simply by the magnetism of his personality and his obviously sincere devotion to the farmers' interests. These no biography can convey.

Mr. Rolph has done all that a meticulous study of the documents can do, but Wood is not in the documents. No historian can make you feel Wood's handshake or look into Wood's eyes or listen to the rolling periods of his oratory. He was the ordained precursor of an Aberhart, and his Aberhart duly arrived, converting the anti-party instincts of the Alberta grain growers into love for a new party which was to be a thorn in the flesh of all old parties.

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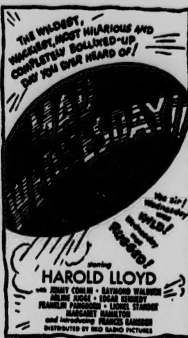
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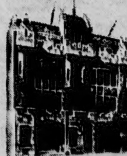


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### Agricultural SERVICE BOARD NOTES

W.K. Snyder,  
Field Supervisor

The big news of the season that will be of interest to the farming population in Mountain View Municipality is Better Farming Week, sponsored by the Agricultural Service Board.

Meetings will be held at various centrally located points during the week March 12 to 26, with the last meeting at Mayton Hall March 26. The object of these meetings of course, is to stimulate a desire among the farmers to raise more and better grain while at the same time grow fewer weeds. This can be accomplished by employing the latest "know-how" in the farm program. Such topics as seed varieties, commercial fertilizers, and crop rotation will be dealt with. Also weed control employed cultural as well as chemical means, and wind and water erosion.

Movies in technicolor will be shown relating to interesting farm topics, as well as a number of slides shown which were taken in this district. You will see pictures of several of the newer weeds and what effect chemical has on them. You will also see some interesting pictures which were taken at the machinery field days last summer.

Competent men will be on hand to deal with the various topics. The program is arranged in such a way that it will be of interest to the entire family. Come one, come all!—Following is a schedule of the meetings:

Crossfield Hall, Monday, March 12, at 2 p.m.  
Crestairs Hall, Monday, March 12, at 8 p.m.  
Cremona Hall, Tuesday, March 13, at 2 p.m.  
Dopound Hall, Tuesday, March 13, at 8 p.m.  
Bugsby Hall, Wednesday, March 14, at 8 p.m.  
Harmattan Hall, Thursday, March 15, at 2 p.m.  
Eagle Hill Co-Op. Hall, Thursday, March 15, at 8 p.m.  
Westerdale Hall, Friday, March 16, at 2 p.m.  
Lone Pine Hall, Friday, March 16, at 8 p.m.  
Mayton Hall, Tuesday, March 20, at 8 p.m.

### ALBERTA HOUSE CALLS FOR DRIVERS' TESTS

Approval of the merits of adequate tests of applications for drivers' licenses was given in a resolution adopted recently by the Alberta legislature.

This direct attention anew to representations made in recent years by the Alberta Motor Association in showing the need of proper tests to ensure greater driving safety on the highways.

During discussion of the subject in the legislature, Hon. A.J. Hooker, minister of Economic Affairs, said this subject had been under investigation by a special committee,

representing various organizations in the province. At the same time he offered no objection to the resolution.

Time and time again, the A.M.A. has sought to have proper tests of those making application for the first time for having drivers' licenses. Also, it has been suggested that such tests should include persons involved in car accidents during the year.

When it is realized that other provinces and states insist on adequate tests, it is a matter of surprise to motor club officials that Alberta continues to lag on this matter.

Statistics have proved that a large percentage of car accidents involve youthful drivers, so much so that it has compelled companies issuing car insurance to impose heavier premiums in certain classifications.

### Alberta Farmers To Get 37 Million Dollars

Alberta farmers will receive approximately \$37,500,000 from the Federal Government in final payments under the controversial five-year wheat pool that ended last year.

This figure was arrived at in Calgary last week end by officials of the Alberta Wheat Pool, following the announcement in Ottawa that the Government has decided to give the Canadian Wheat Board pool a \$65,000,000 contribution.

Alberta Wheat Pool officials would not issue any formal statement until a meeting of the board of directors is held.

The final payment, added to the money still in the pool treasury, will bring to 120 million the amount western wheat farmers will get at a final clean-up payment for the 1,428,000,000 bushels delivered for sale by the Wheat Board.

Cheques will likely go to them in about a month, as soon as the board clears away distribution of about \$100,000,000 in interim payments under 1950-51 pools for wheat, oats and barley. These cheques start moving March 9.

This big chunk of purchasing power is additional to the more than \$2,000,000,000 already paid to the farmers under the five-year pool, on the basis of \$1.75 a bushel for No. 1 Northern. The final payment—3 cents a bushel—brings this price up to \$1.83.

The Government's contribution, long a question of debate, was announced last week in the Commons by Prime Minister St. Laurent.

### INDIA MANUFACTURING FERGUSON TRACTORS

The first Indian-assembled "Ferguson" tractor was completed in January at Bangalore, and two popular light models, weighing about one ton each, are at present under construction. The company's target is to manufacture 350 tractors a month. The various components are to be manufactured in India, and it is planned to manufacture four or five types of farm implements suitable for use under local conditions. Special attention is being paid to the question of spare parts and servicing facilities, and it is expected that in two years, there will be 240 service stations located in various parts of the country.

### MINISTER OF DEFENCE LAUDS BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE

The following release to Press and Radio was made by the Minister of National Defence in Ottawa, February 9. "The Canadian Red Cross Society will act as the Official Agency for the procurement of blood and blood products for the Armed Forces, by supplying sufficient quantities of dried blood plasma. It was announced by Defence Minister Brooke Claxton. The Red Cross is also stock-piling blood plasma for civil defence needs.

The Defence Minister said, "The Red Cross will also supply the necessary sterile administration sets and pyrogen-free distilled water for the reconstitution of dried blood plasma prior to use in transfusions."

"The offer of the Red Cross to supply this service, which will necessitate not only increased financial support but the enrolment of many additional donors is most appreciated," Mr. Claxton declared.

"In these trying times it is necessary that the Armed Forces have a stock of plasma available at all times. Many members of the Armed Forces have been generously giving blood for civilian use. I urge them to continue to do so and also support this new and important section, thus setting an example for all Canadians."

In naming the Red Cross as agent for the procurement of blood for the armed forces, the Minister said that the Defence Department was renewing a similar relationship it had with the Society during the recent war.

Mr. Claxton added that the Society had assured him it was preparing at once to increase the output of its National Blood Donor Program to provide the plasma required by the Armed Forces.

### BUILDING YOUR OWN COMMUNITY

What your community will be tomorrow is determined by the foundation you lay today. The cornerstone of that foundation is the mutual services rendered and received by the people living in your community.

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Many comparatively small towns in Alberta can now supply almost every service available in larger cities. This was not always so. It has been made possible only because you and your neighbor continued to call for a service in your community. The more often you call for a service of any kind the better are your chances of obtaining new services and also of raising the standard of those presently offered.

Prosperity always attracts, so why not spend at home the money you earn at home—Reddy Reader (a Calgary Power Publicity Service)

Canada has made great strides in duck conservation but sportsmen say the real battle to save these birds lies ahead.

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To countless victims of accident on the highways, in the fields and factories, your gift to support the Red Cross Free Blood Transfusion Service is the gift of life itself. For many Canadian hospitals depend on the Red Cross for their supply of wonder-working plasma.

Today, too, civil defence plans in towns and cities coast to coast give new emphasis to the vital need for ample reserves of blood plasma. Give generously... the life you help to save tomorrow may be your own!

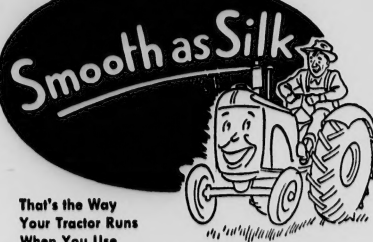
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## - DISTRICT NEWS -

### FALLEN TIMBER

Carstairs lost another old timer in the passing of Mrs. Carrie Bruns. She was born on October 17, 1873 at Jackson, Michigan, and emigrated with her parents to Northville, South Dakota when she was ten years old. She married Harry Bruns in 1892 and the union was blessed with six children, four daughters and two sons. In 1902 she emigrated with her family to a farm south of Carstairs where she lived until moving to town in 1926. She was predeceased by a daughter Jessie in 1915, and by her husband in 1936. Surviving are three daughters, Miss Edna Bruns and Mrs. R. Poirer, Carstairs, and Mrs. J. McGaffin of Elkton; two sons Elmer and Lester of Carstairs; 16 grandchildren, two great grandchildren, and a sister and brother in the United States. Interment was in the Carstairs cemetery.

George Moncey and Dorothy Stair took part in the W.C.T.U. contest held in the United Church in Didsbury on Tuesday, February 27. Among those attending from this district were Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Moncey, Mrs. Stair, Mrs. R. Teynor and Mrs. McGaffin. Master Danny Howton visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore in Calgary, the first part of the week and returned home Tuesday.

Miss Marion Eskrick is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore at present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howton and Mr. and Mrs. R. Teynor attended the funeral at Carstairs of Mrs. C. Bruns.

Sympathy is extended to Barry McMillen who is still in the Didsbury hospital.

Mr. R. Teynor is working on Edie Adams mill at Water Valley.

Mrs. E. Bruns, Jessie, Donnie and Tom were Wednesday visitors with Mrs. R. Teynor and Mrs. J. McGaffin.

The regular meeting of the Fallen Timber Busy Bees will be held at Mrs. W. Roberts on Wednesday, March 7.

The annual meeting of the Fallen Timber School Board was held in the school on February 24. Mrs. Whittle was the retiring trustee and was re-elected for another three-year term.

### Official Opening Of Red Cross Hospital

More than a thousand Calgarians and hundreds from other Alberta towns flocked Tuesday afternoon, March 3, to a three-storey, red brick structure perched on one of the highest hillsides in Calgary's Killarney district.

They were attending the long-awaited opening ceremonies for the \$1,135,000 Alberta Red Cross Crippled Children's hospital.

Only a small proportion of the crowd was actually able to see the official opening which was held in the hospital lobby because of the unsettled weather, but the rest heard the ceremonies through loud speakers placed in other parts of the building. Many more Albertans heard the ceremonies through the province-wide radio hookups.

After the hospital was declared officially open by the Hon. W. W. Cross, Alberta minister of health and public welfare, the audience was given the opportunity to inspect the magnificent new building from top to bottom.

"When we take into account the wonderful work done by this society and realize that it is mostly done by volunteers, and then look at this wonderful new structure which was built by donations, it is evidence that the people of Alberta are a generous and warm-hearted people," Dr. Cross declared.

He paid tribute to the present and past officers of the society who had worked diligently for so many years to turn the hospital from a cherished dream into actuality.

"When we look at the old hospital, inadequate as it was, and see how well administered it was," Dr. Cross concluded, "we can look forward to great success in this magnificent new building."



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PART 1 ORDERS RE: DIDSBURY

Parade in the Lions' Hall on Monday, March 12, at 2000 hours.

Subjects:

Wireless: Tpr. Neufeld, A. J.

Gunnery: Cpl. Hall, R.A.

Dress: Battle Dress, Berets, Black Belts and Oxfords.

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### South West Didsbury

Mr. Donald Weber underwent an appendicectomy in the Calgary General Hospital on Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Johnston R.N. and Mr. Ramold Johnston were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Berscht were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tuggle and Mrs. S.R. Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Berscht were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Snyder on Friday.

Mr. Otto Bartz of Edmonton was a weekend visitor in the district.

Mrs. S. R. Sherman and children returned to Warner on Friday after spending a week with her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hipkin and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and family of Carstairs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyer had as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. Coasto and Marie of Bowden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wintertown and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dippel and Carole Dippel, and Janet Brower were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Deakrich.

Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunsperger were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sherrick and family and Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Snyder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shantz and Mr. C. B. Shantz of Calgary were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Shantz of High River.

Mrs. D. B. Wood was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunsperger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards.

### M.V.B.C. NEWS

Several of our number have had flu but we have capable nursing help so that the patients recover with record speed.

Our Spring term school closing activities started off with a piano recital by the Junior pupils on March 2 at 7 p.m. Miss Helen Swalm, instructor of the Juniors, presented them in a recital held in the College chapel. Each of the participants performed his or her part very well. The selections were short but well chosen and fitted to the experience in piano of each one.

Mr. John F. Wilson, regular instructor of piano in the College gave his courteous support and encouragement to this recital venture. Following the program the boys and girls were handsomely entertained in Mr. Wilson's studio by Mr. Wilson and Mr. Stan Cox. Miss Swalm was also present, and sandwiches, cookies and cocoa were served for refreshments.

The parents and a few other invited guests were entertained in the chapel while they waited for the children. Mr. Wilson's "Harmony" class assisted in serving the dainty refreshments to both the piano pupils and their guests.

The following names comprise the Junior section of the piano department at M.V.B.C.: Judy Berscht, Grace Eby, Geraldine Madoche, Bonita Neubauber, Wayne and Clarence Stauffer, Lois Suler, Victor Cable, Treva Braley, Carolyn Snyder and Ruth Burgess.

Calendar of Final Activities  
March 16—Piano and Voice Recital (student).

March 23—Speech Artists' Recital.

March 25—Easter Cantata "Olivet to Calvary."

March 30—Voice and Piano Recital (student).

April 6—Speech Recital (student).

April 12—Voice and Piano Artist's Recital.

April 20—Choir Home Concert.

April 22—Baccalaureate Service.

April 23—Commencement Exercises.

Watch this column for description of programs as they come.

On Sunday, March 11, the Male Quartet and Mr. Wilson will hold a service at the Linden church. Miss Irene Megill and Mrs. Neil Neufeld will accompany the quartet on their trip.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the town and country for their co-operation during the past ten weeks while I have been town Constable. And a special thanks at the arena. Thank you one and all.

HUGHIE ROBERTS

#### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the kind friends who called, and sent flowers and gifts to me while I was a patient in the General Hospital.

DONALD WEBER

#### CARD OF THANKS

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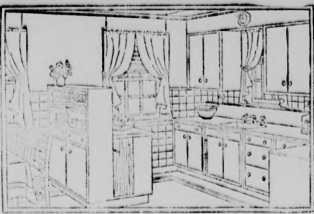
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### LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Will all members of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion who wish to go to Innisfail Tuesday, March 13, at 7:30 p.m., please leave their names or notify Mrs. George Thring or Mrs. W. Payne.

The Didsbury rink skipped by Mrs. H. Gillie, with Mrs. J.W. McCoy, Mrs. H. W. Epp and Mrs. I. Klein, which played in the Calgary ladies' bonspiel last week, returned home Thursday and report an enjoyable time. While they did not get into the prizes they played seven games in the three competitions.

The Bowden Hotel at Bowden was sold this week to Mr. Sam Krueger of Didsbury and he takes over as soon as licensing is approved. The hotel, formerly owned by Miller and Gooder of Olds, will be managed by Mr. Krueger. Mr. Krueger manages the Didsbury Hotel and owns the Beiseker Hotel. Hube Gooder who has been managing the Bowden Hotel since it was purchased over a year ago will in all probability return to Olds. — Olds Gazette.

Const. and Mrs. Dobbin returned last Wednesday from a three-months holiday spent at various points in the United States and at the Pacific Coast. Const. Dobbin is again back on the job polling the town.

Anglican church services will be held on Sunday, March 11 at Burnside at 3:00 p.m. and at St. Cyprian's church Didsbury at 7:30 p.m.

A Curlers' Ball will be held at the Lone Pine hall on Friday, March 9th. Modern and old time dancing. Good orchestra. 1p

F. L. George Kercher brought a new plane for the RCAF from Eastern Canada to Calgary last week and visited for a short time in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kercher.

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The Agricultural Service Board meeting, scheduled for March 19 at Westerdale Hall, has been changed to Tuesday, March 20, at 2:00 p.m.

### AUCTION SALE POSTPONED

The M. N. Romyn auction sale, which was to have been held on Wednesday, March 7, has been postponed until Wednesday, March 14, due to road conditions.

Gordon Reist has sold out his delivery and trucking business to Howard Foot, and Mr. and Mrs. Reist expect to leave this week for Debolt, in the Peace River country, where Gordon will do general trucking.

—Dr. H. S. Holloway will be absent from his office on Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10.

Born at the Didsbury Municipal Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. L. Anderson of Carstairs on Thursday, March 1, a girl.

—Floor Polisher for rent at Builders' Hardware, 50c per day. This offer good for one week only.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holub visited at Drumheller last week with Mrs. Holub's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Nichols, and attended the funeral of Mrs. Holub's sister, Mrs. Burt of Newcastle.

—A Canadian Cancer Society film will be shown in the Lions' Hall in Didsbury on Tuesday, March 13, at 8 p.m. This film is brought to you by the Westcott W.L. Everyone welcome, and a special welcome to other Women's Institutes. A silver collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Special services will be held at Mountain View Church on Sunday evening, March 11, at 8:00 p.m. when Rev. Chester Birk, a missionary from the Belgium Congo, will be guest speaker and also show slides on his work in Africa.

Mrs. E. G. Ranton returned Monday after spending two weeks in Edmonton visiting with her daughter.

—The F.U.A. will hold a whist drive at the Murray McEae home on Friday evening, March 9.

Due to weather conditions the C.G.I.T. Taxis concert scheduled for Melvin Hall, will be held instead at the Knox United Church, Didsbury, on Wednesday, March 7 at 8 p.m. and Friday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m.

—Get your Leytosan and Ceresan at the Builders' Hardware, phone 7.

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Rev. D. Whyte-Smith of Carstar is a Didsbury visitor this week.

### MELVIN NEWS

The annual meeting of the Melvin Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Krebs on Thursday night. The same slate of officers was elected for the coming year. The rent for the hall was set at \$30 and this amount is to be charged within or outside the district. A lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

Owing to the extreme cold weather and drifted roads the C.G.I.T. and Taxis program which was to be held tonight in the Melvin hall, has been cancelled. It will be presented instead in the United Church in Didsbury tonight and also on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richardson and Stevie are visiting at the home of Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Dupont.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sandulac and Gordon and Bruce Gibson of Lavoys spent the weekend at the Johnston home. Bruce is staying for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chandler and family of Airdrie spent Sunday at the L. Chandler home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sanderman of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Ace Ealer were Sunday visitors at the August Krebs home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wollen, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Wollen and Mrs. H. Thompson, of St. John B.C., are visiting relatives in the district this week. They arrived in time for the wedding dance on Tuesday night.

Mrs. V. Wollen came to attend the 25th wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Krebs, on Sunday.

Congratulations to the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McCulloch and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Krebs. Thanks go to them for the wedding dance given by them in the hall on Tuesday night. A record crowd was in attendance and all reported an enjoyable time although parking difficulties were prevalent in the deep snow.

Among those from Didsbury attending the official opening of the Junior Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital in Calgary on Saturday were Mr. W. A. Austin, Mrs. E. T. Wiggins and Mr. Jack Robertson.

The phone number for the classified advt. for Saunders Wheat for sale by Art Waltruff should read R707, Didsbury.

Carmen Stevens, who is stationed with the R.C.A.F. at Edmonton, spent a few days last week in Didsbury with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens.

Jackson and his wife were doing a little fly hunting about the house. "How many have you caught?" she asked after a while.

"Six," replied her husband, "three males and three females."

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